

MAZATLAN AT THE MERCY OF FEDERAL INDIANS

Villa's Men Take Tepic After Losing 400 Killed In Desperate Battle

Miner Crushed to Death by Fall Of 300 Feet In Yellow Tiger

GUADALAJARA NEXT OBJECT OF ATTACK BY CAVALRY TEARING UP THE RAILROAD REIGN OF TERROR IN THE BESIEGED CITY

Eight Tons of Bullion Shipped From 2 Mills Worth \$154,000

Over eight tons of bullion was shipped this morning by two mines as the product of the first fifteen days of May and the aggregate of \$154,000 was well up to the high standard set in April. The Belmont shipped 78 bars, weighing 151,184 ounces, valued at approximately \$116,411.68, and the Tonopah Extension sent out 26 bars, weighing 41,568 ounces, valued at about \$38,000. This made a total of 16,055 pounds, or a trifle over eight tons avoirdupois. The Tonopah Extension shipped for the second half of April 24 bars, weighing 3,472 pounds, valued at \$38,000, so it appears that the company is holding up to the magnificent record of last month.

The Farrelly, a miner about 50 years of age, was killed suddenly last night in the Yellow Tiger shaft at Goldfield. The circumstances are such that it will not be possible to ascertain definitely the cause of the accident, as no one was with Farrelly at the time. The fatal plunge sent him down 300 feet to the bulk-headed bottom of the shaft, where he was found a mangled mass of flesh and blood without any resemblance to a human form. The accident happened about 11 o'clock last night. Farrelly and a helper named Barnes were employed fixing the shaft piping and testing the timbers. A plank was adjusted across the shaft at about the 400-foot point and Barnes says Farrelly constantly impressed on him the necessity of being very careful and not omit and precaution that would contribute to their personal safety. The men had only been employed for a week, since the Tiger resumed work, and they had been inspecting the timber and fittings to make sure they were good enough to keep without replacement. The water had been lowered 300 feet and the men were working downward.

At 11 o'clock Farrelly remarked that he would go back a little higher to look at something and his helper inquired if he did not want to take the plank. Farrelly replied that he would not need it and went up the ladder. A few minutes later Barnes felt an object rushing past him with a velocity that extinguished his candle and he surmised that his partner had lost his footing and been hurled to the bottom, a depth of 300 feet. He clambered to the surface and gave the alarm. A relief party found the remains macerated beyond recognition. An inquest will be held this afternoon. Deceased was not very well known in Goldfield, although he had been employed in the camp for some months and has a grown daughter.

(By Associated Press.) BOARD CALIFORNIA, MAZATLAN, May 20, via wireless, May 21.—Having occupied Tepic with 400 killed and unknown casualties among the federals, 5,000 constitutionalists began to march on Guadalajara. In advance of the troops is a flying squadron of cavalry working the destruction of Huerta's lines of communication, the object being to cripple the railroad from Manzanillo to Guadalajara. Mazatlan is a city of fears. Back of the city the constitutionalists are closing in, and the terror of citizens is augmented by the presence in their ranks of 700 fantastically painted Indians. Citizens fear the federals may loot Mazatlan when forced to retreat. The state of Tepic is one of the wild and most mountainous on the Pacific coast, parts of it being inaccessible by military authorities. The population of the state is 151,000 and the capital

Tepic, which is now in possession of the constitutionalists, is twenty miles inland from the port of San Blas, with which it is connected by a railroad. The town is supported by factories of cotton cloth and tobacco. The Indians are more numerous here than any of the other coast states and form a constant menace, as the tribes are only semi-civilized and are constantly at warfare. Mazatlan is about 183 miles southeast of Sinaloa, at the entrance to the Gulf of California. It is built on a hilly crest and is of pleasing appearance. Mazatlan is the principal Pacific seaport of Mexico and the outlet for the products of the mining province of San Sebastian. JUAREZ, May 21.—A telegram received by the constitutionalist information bureau says Saltillo was evacuated by federalists. The Saltillo garrison numbered 12,000 and the town had large stores of ammunition and supplies, which fall into the hands of constitutionalists, if reports are true.

WOMEN BESIEGE KING'S PALACE TO SUBMIT PETITION

KING GEORGE WATCHES BATTLE BETWEEN WOMEN AND THE POLICE.

(By Associated Press.) LONDON, May 21.—King George, from a window of Buckingham palace, witnessed a lively and interesting sight this morning. He saw the police break up a large column of suffragette raiders marching on the palace for the purpose of handing a petition to the king. Emmeline Pankhurst and other leaders were arrested. Mrs. Pankhurst, who had a body-guard of several hundred, attempted to march down the drive to the palace. Mounted police barred their progress. The women, armed with sticks, attempted to cut their way through the lines of patrolmen, and fought vigorously. Several women were injured.

HOME RULE BILL PROVOKES RIOT IN HOUSE OF COMMONS

TAKING OF FINAL VOTE POSTPONED UNTIL NEXT TUESDAY.

(By Associated Press.) LONDON, May 21.—The Irish home rule bill entered on its last stage in the house of commons, but owing to persistent disorderliness of opposition members, who succeeded in forcing an adjournment, the sitting was suspended until tomorrow. When the members voted on adjournment, the house was in an uproar. Premier Asquith and his colleagues in the cabinet who remained seated were fiercely assailed with abusive epithets by the opposition, to which the ministerialists replied with cheers and the waving of handkerchiefs. The vote on third reading of the home rule bill will be taken May 26th, after which, if it passes, it will become law.

LOVED STEPFATHER BETTER THAN HER RICH HUSBAND

BRIDE OF FIVE MONTHS SURRENDERS A LIFE OF LUXURY.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 21.—The matrimonial venture entered into last October by Walter Paul Frick, of Oakland, and Miss Georgiana Sneathen, of Piedmont, has resulted in a separation of the young couple, and it is possible that divorce proceedings will ensue. According to F. L. Wildes of Reno, stepfather of Mrs. Frick, the bride has left her husband to take up her residence at the Nevada home of her mother.

"Mrs. Frick's life with Frick was such that she could live with him no longer, and when my wife and I learned of the facts we assisted the parting," said Wildes in the Hotel Oakland, where he and Mrs. Wildes are staying for a few days. "As for divorce, there is no move in that direction as yet. This is all I care to say about it."

Frick expressed astonishment yesterday when asked whether he and his wife had concluded to go henceforth along separate ways. "I know nothing about it; it's a surprise to me," declared the husband.

Prior to her marriage last October in the Fairmont hotel, Mrs. Frick was prominent in society circles of Piedmont and Reno. She was a member of the junior assembly of Piedmont and of several other Alameda county clubs. Her marriage came as a great surprise, as it was not announced until the last moment. Frick was for years considered one of the most popular bachelors across the bay. His wealth, garnered in the lumber business, was rated at nearly a million. His brother, Romeo Frick, is well known in the musical world.

HALF INTEREST IN A BULL COSTS \$25,000

MIDDLETOWN, N. Y., May 21.—Twenty-five thousand dollars has just been paid by the Lawson Holding company of New York to John Artman, of Middletown, for a half interest in King George's Pasture Ararat, a 12-year-old Holstein-Friesian bull.

OPENING THE ROAD.

The road to Glenbrook by way of Kings Canyon will soon be open to autos and in fact several auto owners are going to try the route this Sunday. It means more travel to have the road open, and it will be before long. (Union News.)

World's Biggest Steamer Comes Into Harbor of New York

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, May 21.—Vaterland, the biggest steamer in service, arrived on her maiden voyage from Hamburg. On the way to the pier at Hoboken, the steamer broke away from the accompanying tugs and drifted a mile down the Hudson. The tugs finally succeeded in getting her in tow, and taking her to a pier. The Vaterland is 550 feet in length, 100 feet beam. Her crew consists of a commodore, four captains and a total crew of 1,234 men and women.

ONE WORD CHANGED MEANING

HUERTA'S STATEMENT WAS A DENIAL OF GOING TO QUIT.

(By Associated Press.) NIAGARA FALLS, May 21.—The South American mediators, at an informal conference with representatives of Huerta, sought to learn in a general way the viewpoint of the Mexican representatives on various tentative plans for a solution of the Mexican problem. The mediators pursued the same course with the Mexican delegates as they did with the American peace commissioners last night. No formal expression of views was required, but the mediators suggested hypothetical steps looking to a settlement of the imbroglio, and learned the trend of thoughts of the delegates. The conference of mediators and Mexicans marked the conclusion of the first step in the attempt being made to compose the differences between the two countries. Much interest was displayed in the explanation regarding the erroneous dispatch of yesterday saying Huerta would retire. Investigation disclosed that the word "denying" in the Huerta statement at Mexico City had been received "saying," and the sense of the dispatch reversed. Investigation is proceeding to place responsibility for the error.

BECKER CASE READY TO GO TO THE JURY

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, May 21.—Both prosecution and defense in the case of Charles Becker, on trial for the murder of Rosenthal, have rested. The case will be in the hands of the jury tomorrow, and the prisoner may know his fate by night.

HORSES ARE RETURNED BUT RIDER IS MISSING

YERBA BUENA, May 20.—The two horses belonging to Lieut. Col. E. B. Moore, P. T. Taggart, which were taken over the Mexican lines by Private Samuel Parks when the soldier, who was said to be deserted, disappeared, were returned today to the American military authorities, by order of the Mexican commander.

SAMPLES SALTED IN UTAH

HANK FRAUD PERPETRATED ON THE PEOPLE OF GOLDFIELD AND TONOPAH.

Henry McMahon, one of the pioneer leasers of Tonopah, is back from the alleged gold fields of Beaver county, Utah, and he stamps the rush as a rank imposition on the miners of Nevada. His experience cost him \$100 at a low estimate and he warns all others to keep away from that section, which has absolutely nothing to recommend it. The report was circulated by a couple of former Tonopah prospectors in the interest of a Milford hotel and storekeeper. The samples sent to Goldfield on which the rush was based were salted, as McMahon said he couldn't find more than a trace of values in any samples he took.

Fortunately the cost of reaching the Beaver county district was too great for the poorer class of prospectors and the only ones who suffered from the deception were those who could afford to make the trip in their own autos.

EUREKA'S OLD DRAYMAN DIES FROM DROPSY

Peter Loh, Eureka's veteran drayman, who has not been able for several months to do any active work, passed away at his home here last Monday of dropsy. He was one of Eureka's pioneers, coming here in 1871, and has since made this his home. He first engaged in teaming, hauling charcoal into Eureka for the furnaces. He followed this line of work until about 25 years ago, when he became interested in the draying business. Eureka Sentinel.

BUSINESS MEN URGED TO DECORATE THEIR STORES

Everybody in Tonopah should do what they can to render the city attractive for the coming season of the B. P. O. E., which will be attended largely by citizens of other camps. The best way to do this would be to display banners of the purple and white the colors of the order.

ALL QUIET IN NORTHERN MEXICO ACCORDING TO ONE OF REFUGEES

C. H. Farrow, for eight years shift boss in the 120-stamp mill of the Esperanza company, situated 100 miles north of the City of Mexico, on the National railroad, is in Tonopah as one of the refugees from the southern republic. He is looking for employment in the mills of this camp until there is a chance to return to the other side of the Rio Grande. Mr. Farrow came out of Mexico twelve months ago and then went back to the state of Sonora and was employed as master mechanic of La Cumbre Mining company at Nogales, where he was compelled to leave three weeks ago owing to the urgent orders of the British consul. Mr. Farrow says there is no trouble in constitutionalist territory, but the orders from the consul were so urgent that none of the foreign colony felt like remaining. In every case the properties were turned over to Mexicans to work the best way they could and to help keep down the flow of water.

Mr. Farrow asserts that eighteen months ago, before the administration of Huerta, the situation was desperate and in the town of Durango alone he knows hundreds of women and girls were violated on the steps of the cathedral, where they had taken refuge from the then rebels, and that these victims of lust committed suicide on the altar steps when they escaped the clutches of their assailants. Pachuca was looted by the Maderistas and the banks blown up to get at their treasure. "I do not look for any speedy settlement of the trouble," said Mr. Farrow, "as this is the most prosperous time known to the people of Mexico. They have a horse, a blanket and plenty of ammunition and lots of chance to loot, and what more can they ask when they don't want work. Soldiering is not an awful thing in Mexico when it is understood that in a recent engagement over 100,000 rounds of ammunition were fired and only one mile killed. Carranza is the legitimate successor to the presidency, as Villa does not want it and will be satisfied to become minister of war. Villa is too ignorant to think of becoming president, therefore there will be no conflict on that score."

Every mining camp in Arizona and New Mexico is filled with refugees from Mexico who preferred to take their chances in the overcrowded camps rather than accept tickets to more distant points. Wherever the refugees wanted to go they were provided with transportation and it is said that some of them booked themselves for Alaska points. The negro explained that he had been reaching over to cover his droopy companion, a noble son of Erin's, and who occupied the rear seat with him, with a blanket when the auto struck a culvert and he was hoisted off his feet. He must have gone on a voyage to the moon for, he says, that when he came down there was no auto and he found himself sprawling in the road. He shouted for help, but his cries could not be heard and he was left in a wild country with no other company than a band of hungry coyotes whom the negro was preparing to carve with his knife when the auto returned.

The son of Erin who was in the rear seat was asked why he did not say anything about his comrade vanishing and all he could say was that he saw him go up and thought that according to the laws of physics that everything that goes up must come down and he believed he came back and landed in the machine. The party was coming from Mesquite Canyon, where they had been rolling thirty Cooper, and was a short distance beyond Stone House when the absence of the valet was observed.

UNCLE JOE CANNON TO RUN FOR CONGRESS

(By Associated Press.) DANVILLE, Ill., May 21.—At a dinner given by the Elks' club Joseph G. Cannon, ex-speaker of the house, made formal announcement of his candidacy for congress.

Woman Kills Man Shooting a Spud

(By Associated Press.) LYNN, Mass., May 21.—Henry G. Green, aged 11, shot in the head when Miss Juanita Griffith tried to knock a potato from his hand with a rifle bullet in a theater last Tuesday, died today. The woman is held by the police.

MONOPOLY GOOD FOR RAILROADS OF THE COUNTRY

UNDER GOVERNMENT CONTROL WOULD BE GOOD FOR THE PUBLIC.

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, May 21.—Charles Mellen, ex-president of the New Haven, told the interstate commerce commission he favored railroad monopoly, controlled and regulated by the government, and that such a monopoly would be beneficial to the public. He said consolidation would result in better service, lower rates and greater satisfaction to the people.

FIVE HOUSES BURNED.

COLOQUET, Minn., May 20.—Fire, starting during a high wind, had burned five dwellings in the residence section.

Rob P. O. Same Day as Last Year

(By Associated Press.) QUERENYVILLE, Cal., May 21.—Robbers who traveled by auto and stole the postoffice last night. Two men are in jail for robbing the same office a year ago on the same date. The safe was blown open. Loss not known.

MERCHANTS TAKE STRIKERS' PLACES

DIXON BUSINESS MEN ASSIST IN WORK OF MILKING 250 COWS.

DIXON, Cal., May 21.—As a friendly act and to prevent injury to the five cows at the H. R. Timm certified dairy ranch, business men of this city took the places of the milkers of 250 cows who had struck for higher wages. The milking was done with the help of the merchants and new hands are being employed at the dairy. Timm is in Dutch Flat, Placer county, for the benefit of his health, and the dairy is in charge of a foreman who has been with him for years. In spite of the fact that a few weeks ago they had agreed to accept \$45 a month during the summer and \$50 a month in winter, ten milkers yielding to the persuasion of an agitator, struck. The foreman asked the strikers to wait until the return of Timm or until he could communicate with him. The agitator was discharged and the matter reported in the business men of this city, who obtained as many notices as they could and went to the farm. The merchants' side that they feel the demands of the milkers were unjust and should not have struck during the absence of owner of the dairy.

THE TEMPERATURE.

Highest temperature yesterday, 74; a year ago, 76. Lowest temperature last night, 50; a year ago, 56.